

Attorney's Docket No.: 05339-014003 / 023B

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Roland Cherif-Cheikh, et al.

Art Unit : 1641 Examiner: Ann Yen Lam Serial No.: 09/832,273

Filed : April 10, 2001

: INJECTION DEVICE Title

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated September 10, 2004, be extended for three months to and including March 10, 2005.

Enclosed is a check for \$1020 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 05339-014003.

Respectfully submitted,

Fish & Richardson P.C. 225 Franklin Street

Boston, MA 02110-2804 Telephone: (617) 542-5070

Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

21040074.doc

03/08/2005 WASFAW1 00000015 09832273

01 FC:1253

1020.00 OP

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

2005 March 3

Date of Deposit

Signature

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate